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SHIP'S HISTORY 1982 USS BRONSTEIN (FF 1037)

The Year 1982 was a very challenging and rewarding one for USS BRONSTEIN (FF 1037). The ship made preparations for and completed her seventh WESTPAC deployment in December.

1982 was highlighted by the deployment to WESTPAC. BRONSTEIN successfully completed various exercises for Commander, U.S. SEVENTH Fleet and made every operational committment on time. The major exercises involved TAE KWON DD 35 and multiplex 83-1K, joint exercises with the Republic of South Korea. BRONSTEIN also operated with USS MIDWAY and PELELIU Task Groups.

The crew of the USS BRONSTEIN visited nearly every major WESTPAC port including: Pusan, Chinhae, Sasebo, Kure, Fukioka, Guam, Subic, and Hong Kong.

During 1982, USS BRONSTEIN spent 151 days underway and 202 days inport. The following is a detailed breakdown of the ship's activities for 1982:

01	JAN	-	22	FEB	1982	-San Diego Upkeep
	22	-	25	FEB		-Underway SOCAL OP areas
25	FEB	-	08	MAR		-Inport San Diego - Upkeep
				MAR		-Underway SOCAL OP areas
				MAR		-Inport San Diego
				MAR		-Underway SOCAL OP areas
				MAR		-Inport San Diego
				MAR		-Underway SOCAL OP areas
27	MAR					-Inport San Diego
	01	~	05	APR		-Underway SOCAL OP areas
				APR		-Inport San Diego
				APR		-Underway SOCAL OP areas
	10	-	27	APR		-Inport San Diego - Upkeep
	27	-	30	APR		-Underway SOCAL OP areas
30	APR	-	15	MAY		-Inport San Diego - Upkeep
				MAY		-Underway SOCAL OP areas
				MAY		-Inport San Diego - Upkeep
26	MAY					-Underway for Pearl Harbor
	80	-	11	JUN		-Inport Pearl Harbor
				JUN		-Underway for Subic Bay
28	JUN					-Inport Subic Bay - Upkeep
				JUL		-Underway-ASWEX
				JUL		-Inport Subic Bay
				JUL		-Underway-RECONEX 82-3
				JUL		-Inport Subic Bay - Upkeep
				JUL		-Underway for Sasebo
26	JUL					-Inport Sasebo-Upkeep
				AUG		-Underway -Midway to OPS
				AUG		-Inport Sasebo - Upkeep
				AUG		-Underway ARG OPS Sea of Okhotsk
31	AUG					-Inport Sasebo - Upkeep
				SEP		-Underway for Chinhae
				SEP		-Inport Chinhae
	80	-	12	SEP		-Underway TAE Kwon DD 35

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				-Underway SAR OPS
1.5			SEP	-Underway for Sasebo
13	SEP			-Inport Sasebo - Upkeep
			OCT	-Underway for Fukuoka
			OCT	-Inport Fukuoka
			OCT	-Underway ASW OPS
	10	- 11	OCT	-Underway for Kure
	11	- 16	OCT	-Inport Kure
	16 -	- 18	OCT	-Underway for Pusan
			OCT	-Inport Pusan
			OCT	
	23 -		OCT	-Underway for Chinhae
			OCT	-Inport Chinhae
27				-Underway Multiples 83-1K
41	OCT -			-Underway for Hong Kong
			NOV	-Inport Hong Kong
			NOV	-Underway for Subic Bay
			NOV	-Inport Subic Bay - Upkeep
			NOV	-Underway for Guam
	18 -	21	NOV	-Inport Guam - Upkeep
	21 -	27	NOV	-Underway for Kwajalain
			NOV	-Inport Kwajalain
27	NOV -			
			DEC	-Underway for Pearl Harbor
	02 -			-Inport Pearl Harbor
				-Underway for San Diego
	10 -	2T	DEC	-Inport San Diego - Upkeep

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